

BOY LEFT BAD CHECK TRAIL

BUT IS SURE MOTHER IN NEW ORLEANS WILL HELP HIM.

Arrived here Saturday. Tried Two Hotels and Hought Evening Clothes in Which to See the Town. Was Still Wearing Them When He Was Taken to Court.

A dark haired boy about 18 years old stood before Magistrate Herbert yesterday in the Jefferson Market court and said with a pleasant Southern accent that his real name was Emile Shott and his home was in New Orleans, although when he was arrested on Sunday for getting \$18 worth of food and lodging out of the Hotel Knickerbocker on what the hotel people thought were false pretences he had said he was Charles Bougher of Cincinnati. While he explained a small procession of hotel detectives and railroad representatives marched past into the clerk's room to file complaints against the youth.

The prisoner wore evening clothes, which although new looked a little frowzy, for he had worn them since Saturday evening. His silk hat was placed on the table and he fussed with his white gloves when the Magistrate asked him if he would like to have his case set for examination on another day so that he could communicate with his friends.

"I sure would like a little time, Judge," he said, "to write to my mother in New Orleans."

The Magistrate set the date for examination on the first complaint, petit larceny, for Wednesday and put the bail at \$500.

"Others who wish to make complaints against this young man will step into the clerk's room," said Magistrate Herbert.

There was a general movement from the men's side of the court room and a dozen or more passed into the complaint room. There were Inspectors Spencer and Ely and the Pennsylvania Railroad, who told the Assistant District Attorney that the boy had got a suit case from them worth \$50 and had secured \$75 from their agent in Chicago on a worthless check. There was Martin McLeod of Browning, King & Co., who said Shott had bought the evening clothes on Saturday night for \$38 and given a check. Representatives from the Hotel Martineau and the New York Central Lines were there with accounts of the soft spoken youth. And all for things that happened since Saturday. A complaint from the Pennsylvania Railroad was taken and \$200 bail set on a grand larceny charge. The others may bring their troubles to the higher court in case the prisoner is held for trial.

According to Detective Thomas F. Murray of Police Headquarters, who spent yesterday piloting persons around who had seen the account of the arrest in the morning papers, Shott's itinerary since he reached New York on Saturday was something like this:

In the morning he arrived here and of course a traveller must have some baggage, so he went to the baggage man at the Pennsylvania station and said he had lost the check for his suitcase. He looked over the valises there and picked out one of them, the property, the railroad detectives say, of one Charles S. Baugher. Then he went to the Hotel Martineau and registered, getting room 418, and then bought the evening clothes.

Then there was a telephone call to the New York Central offices. "I'm Mr. Wilcox," said the voice, "and I want a ticket to San Francisco. Have it sent to room 418 in the Martineau." A messenger boy took it up and received a check signed "Mrs. C. E. Wilcox" and indorsed as "Wilcox," the New York Central man. The check did not look right at the railroad offices and a man was sent up at once. He found the would-be traveller in his room, demanded back the ticket and got it.

Leaving his day clothes on a chair in the hotel the boy next went to the Knickerbocker Hotel and took a room, where he remained until his arrest Sunday night. The boy had a check book on the North Side Bank, Cincinnati, and in his pockets were found two checks, one made out to the Blackstone Hotel, Chicago, for \$25 and another for \$35 to the order of "cash," these were signed, one C. S. Baugher, and the other Emile Shott. A detective said that the prisoner had had a check for \$25 cashed at the Blackstone and had secured some money from the Louisville and Nashville Railroad officials there.

The detective had a telegram from the Cincinnati bank relative to a "Bougher" check. The message read: "Not good. Don't know party."

"My boy, this is a pretty serious business," said Magistrate Herbert when the second complaint of petit larceny had been made against the prisoner. "Where did you come from and where do you people live?"

"My mother lives at 1623 Polymnia street, New Orleans," answered the boy, "and I left there August 13."

"And where have you been since then?"

"With my uncle, at 516 Rockdale avenue, Cincinnati."

"But New Orleans is a good ways away."

"My mother would come further than that to help me," answered the boy.

"The boy says he will give the evening clothes back. Will that be all right?" put in a representative from the clothing house.

"I make no directions," said the Magistrate, "but have no objection as long as the boy is decently clothed."

Shott gave further details of his doings. He had lived in Cincinnati with his uncle, S. M. Shott, he said, who was connected with the Kleiman & Co. furniture house, and had worked for that company as a clerk.

Mrs. C. A. Shott, he said, was a widow, and he had been married in Chicago. "I forgot all the names," replied the boy, laughing. "Do you know, I had the hardest time remembering the last one here in New York. I was in here in jail and didn't have a chance to see the city at all."

The prisoner said that he and his wife had left Cincinnati on Sunday and had gone at once to Chicago. He thought that he would get money to square matters before he was found out, and he "thought" there might be an account in the bank which he had only "overdrawn."

"You know," he said, "seeming to realize for the first time the seriousness of his position. 'I'm only a kid and I don't know much about these things.'"

Shott, under the name of Bougher, was first brought to the night court, where Magistrate Freschi transferred the case to the Jefferson Market court on the ground that if the \$25 check found on the prisoner and drawn to the order of the Hotel Knickerbocker was not good the case would be grand larceny.

Henry Phillips sued as a Liable Employer.

A suit for \$25,000 for personal damages against H. Phillips has been filed in the Supreme Court by Anne M. Ryan, employed as a chambermaid in the Phillips residence at 1093 Fifth avenue.

She says she fell over a plank stretched across the gateway on the Eighty-seventh street side of the Phillips place, and hasn't been able to use her right arm since.

DISTRIBUTING THE OFFICES.

Senate and Assembly Clerk and Speaker's Tribune Announce Appointments.

ALBANY, Jan. 16. Some of the Legislative patronage was distributed to-day. Senate Clerk Patrick E. McCabe announced the following appointments: Assistant Clerk, Ernest A. Fay of Potsdam, salary \$2,500; Journal Clerk, A. J. Laggold of Buffalo, \$2,500; Assistant Journal Clerk, John H. Tranter of Buffalo, \$1,500; Index Clerk, William F. Kearney of Albany, \$2,000; Assistant Index Clerk, Cornelius McDermott of Middletown, \$1,000; Financial Clerk, Thomas P. Brennan of Patchogue, \$1,500; Executive Clerk, John J. Martin of New York, \$1,500; Revision Clerk, J. D. Byrne of New York city, \$1,500; Deputy Clerk, John D. Ferre of Brooklyn, \$1,500. Mr. Fay served under the Republican Senate.

The Speaker of the Assembly, Daniel D. Fiske, announced the following appointments for the session of 1911: Speaker's Stenographer, Charles F. Boughton of Schenectady, salary \$5 a day; Speaker's Messenger, Peter MacFarlane of New York city, salary \$3 a day; Postmaster, Fred Schmidt of Schenectady, salary \$6 a day; Assistant Postmaster, Tiffney W. Neville of Schenectady, salary \$3 a day.

The Assembly Clerk, Luke McHenry, announced the following appointments for the session of 1911: Clerk's Messenger, James B. McIntosh of Albany, salary \$3 a day; Assistant Clerk, George R. Van Name of Watertown, salary \$2,500; Journal Clerk, William N. Mansfield of Saratoga, salary \$2,500; Index Clerk, J. A. Packler of The Bronx, salary \$2,000; First Assistant Index Clerk, Joseph A. Zenger of Erie, salary \$1,500; Chief Messenger, Vivian Moore of Schenectady, salary \$2 a day.

Those appointments date from January 12. Mr. Mansfield served under the Republican Assembly.

SUP. RECOMMENDATIONS REPORT.

He Makes Several Recommendations Regarding Weights and Measures.

ALBANY, Jan. 16.—In his annual report, submitted to the Legislature to-night by Fritz Reichmann, State Superintendent of Weights and Measures, it is recommended that all railroads operating in this State should have a scale inspection service, that the coal law, which now applies to cities of the first and second class, should be extended over the entire State and that coal be sold only by weight, and that all manufacturers of scales who do business in this State be required to furnish a bond to the effect that their scales are not designed to facilitate fraud. Supt. Reichmann points out the necessity of regulating the sale of certain containers so that loose methods of weighing may be done away with. Attention is called to the fact that false weights are in use at certain charitable institutions, but points out that their existence is due to negligence. Emphasis is laid on the necessity of uniform specifications for supplies by State institutions, particularly as to quantity.

Mrs. Melber Indicted for Murder.

ALBANY, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Edith Melber, who has confessed the killing of her five-year-old boy near the Schenectady turnpike on the Dunker farm, was indicted by an Albany county Grand Jury to-day for murder in the first degree. Mrs. Melber was arraigned before Supreme Court Justice Cochrane and in a weak voice pleaded not guilty. She says she had no money to engage counsel. The Judge assigned former District Attorney John T. Cook and John H. Dugan to defend her. Mrs. Melber had expressed a wish to secure Mr. Dugan.

State Treasurer Names Confidential Clerk.

ALBANY, Jan. 16.—State Treasurer John J. Kennedy to-day announced the appointment of R. L. McMahon of Buffalo as confidential clerk in his department in the place of L. L. Silverman of Syracuse. The salary is \$1,400 a year.

WILL OF MRS. GARDNER BLANCHARD PERRY.

Also Gives Bowdoin College \$1,000.

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 16.—Public bequests amounting to nearly \$100,000 are contained in the will of Mrs. Gardner Blanchard Perry, which was probated in Middletown, R. I., to-day. Mrs. Perry, whose winter home was in Boston, had been a summer resident of Middletown for many years. The largest bequest is to the Redwood Library and Athenaeum of this city, which receives the books of her husband and \$30,000, part of which is to be used for a room at the library to be known as the Gardner Blanchard Perry room and the remainder for the purchase of new books. Bowdoin College receives \$1,000 for the establishment of a scholarship in memory of her father, Richard Woodhull, and the Home for Aged Women in Bangor, Me., receives \$5,000 in memory of her mother, Sarah Forbes Woodhull. The Eastern Maine General Hospital in Bangor receives \$1,000 for a child's cot in memory of her brother.

GIVES HER MONEY TO DETROIT.

\$30,000 to a Hospital, \$10,000 to Museum and \$20,000 to U. of M.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 16.—Octavia Williams Bates, who died in Baltimore a few days ago, leaves \$30,000 in her will to Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich., divided in bequests of \$5,000 each for the establishment of beds in memory of her father, mother, aunt, sister, brother and herself. Other bequests are \$5,000 to the National Women's Suffrage Association of Baltimore and \$20,000 to the library law department of the University of Michigan. To be known as "Octavia Williams Bates Fund." The Detroit Museum of Art gets \$10,000.

Alderman Volkman's Trial Today.

Alderman Michael J. Volkman, who was indicted on the charge of accepting an illegal fee, will be put on trial to-day before Justice Seabury in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court. Volkman was indicted in December with Edward Cruise, who was arrested on the charge of taking \$200 from David Baruch, a large news dealer at Third avenue and Eighty-fourth street, for a renewal of his license, which the Alderman secured for him. Cruise said he was acting for Volkman. Cruise will be a witness for the prosecution.

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Slept in the Open and All Came Through in Fine Condition. Narrow Escape When Schooner Hit Hudson Rocks. Guided by Northwest Police.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 16.—All the personal property of those on board the schooner Jeanie, which carried Prof. J. L. Macoun's scientific expedition, and which was wrecked in Hudson Bay, including what money they had, was washed overboard, and on most of the trip to Fort Churchill the members of the expedition and the crew had to depend for food on the Eskimos, who were most friendly.

Capt. Howard Bartlett, the master of the Jeanie, a member of the famous family of Arctic captains, was hired by the Royal Northwest Mounted Police to take the supplies north from Churchill to Fullerton and to land the portable houses that were to be put up at Eskimo Point, Rankin Inlet, Chesterfield Inlet and Wager Inlet.

Prof. Macoun, of the Geological Survey, who was at Churchill, went north on the Jeanie. The other passengers were Supt. Starns, Dr. Macellus and four members of the police. With the exception of Macoun and one policeman, all the party remained at Fullerton after the last portable house was put up at Wager Inlet, the Jeanie, which was anchored down in the bay several miles from shore, broke her chains and was driven ashore in a gale accompanied by snow and sleet and freezing hard.

During the whole day all on board had been praying that the last cold would break before dark. It did, but at all, but the schooner held at anchor until midnight, when it was black dark, before the cable parted. All on board feared the last voyage had been made, as the boat filled fast. Provisions and personal effects were swept away with each succeeding wave, which rolled far over the half sunken vessel. Finally the keel struck the rocky bottom and the boat began to break up on the rocks, where it remained fast, pounded by the waves until the tide receded.

The coast is a rock-bound one, and the only place at which a landing could be made with any chance of apparatus being saved was at the head of a deep bay, four miles long. Fortunately it was here that the schooner struck, and as it happened to be high tide when the crash came, by day-break the tide had fallen and the shore was reached in safety. The schooner was a total wreck and both lifeboats were smashed, involving a loss to her owners of upward of \$10,000.

The lifeboats were repaired, and a week later the crew of the Jeanie, nine men in all, with Macoun, Jones, the constable and three Eskimos started for Fullerton, more than a hundred miles south. After many narrow escapes the whole party returned to Fullerton. The whaling schooner A. T. Macoun, a Casco Bay trader, had gone into winter quarters at Fullerton a day before, but Supt. Starns promptly made arrangements with Comer, and the Gifford set sail the next day for Churchill 300 miles south, reaching there on September 26.

The wrecked crew of the Jeanie was furnished with a tent and stove and supplied with warm clothing by Supt. Starns. Rations were served to the men in the same quantity and quality as to the police, and when winter set in a house was secured from the Hudson's Bay Company.

Macoun and Harry Ford, for many years interpreter for the Hudson's Bay Company, with the Eskimos, attempted to leave Churchill about November 24, but the river did not freeze over until December 4. The next day they started in company with A. G. Bachard and his party of nine men. Macoun had two Indians and Bachard had four. Deep snow made travelling difficult, as the trail to Split Lake had to be broken. The wrecked crew left Churchill on December 8 in charge of Corporal Walker and reached Split Lake a few hours after the first party.

The sailors were then given in charge to Sergt. Eggerton, who led them to Norway House. All the Churchill parties travelled together to Norway House, where the members of the wrecked crew were landed over to Sergt. Nicholls and taken by him to Gimli, where they remained in perfect health. Those who know the difficulty of traveling in the north are unanimous in saying that to bring eight men with no experience in winter traveling from Churchill to Gimli, every man walking the whole of the 1,400 miles, was a great achievement and that it was not to be expected it would be accomplished without the loss of life. The record time is twenty-eight travelling days, this party taking one day more.

Mr. Macoun and Mr. Bachard also walked the same distance, the Hudson's Bay Company furnishing the dogs for transporting bedding and provisions. No tents were used, the party sleeping in bags made of rabbit skins in the open both on land and on the ice. Temperature ranging from 50 to 62 degrees below zero.

GOVERNOR ON LYNCHINGS.

Wilson of Kentucky Denounces Shelby County Officials for Allowing Them.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 16.—Gov. Wilson in a statement issued this afternoon scolded the officials in Shelby county for permitting the hanging of three negroes in Shelbyville Sunday morning. In his statement regarding the lynching Gov. Wilson says:

"It is just as much murder as if they were entirely innocent of any offence. For the law gives no man a right to put to death. One of them was under sentence of death for the brutal murder of his wife, with no possible hope of commutation. The other two were under charges of such a character that they were guilty and no chance for any mercy to them, but the mob was not satisfied with the Commonwealth's punishing these people by law, but must take them into its hands and shame the Commonwealth and shame the county of Shelby and all its good people."

"The members of this mob are murderers, they knew that these men were helpless and could not resist; they knew that they were in the charge of the Commonwealth and it was a felony on the part of each one of them to make this attack upon the jail and to take out these prisoners regardless of the murder, and if I had the power under the law I would remove the Sheriff, the chief of police, the jailer and every officer who had the power to warn the people of the danger, summon a posse to prevent, if they had any warning of it; but our law gives the Governor no such power."

Exploding Dynamite Injures 26.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Twenty-six men were injured to-day by the explosion of a stick of dynamite in the Southwest tunnel early to-day. A workman who hit the dynamite with a pick caused the explosion. The tunnel which is under construction for the Seventy-third street subway, in which seventy men were killed during a fire on Jan. 20, 1909.

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THREE CHIHUAHUA BATTLES

MEXICAN REVOLT FAR FROM DEAD—MANY CASUALTIES.

Soldiers Getting the Worst of It at Casas Grandes. Prolonged Struggle at Coyome. Rebel Leader Paz Holds Navarro at Bay—Losses on Both Sides.

EL PASO, Jan. 16.—Fighting has been resumed in northern Mexico between the rebels and the Federals and reports of three fights came through to-day from different regions, one of them over in Chihuahua, which has been comparatively quiet since the first few days of the trouble in the middle of October. James Sharpe, who arrived here from the Mormon colonies in Chihuahua with a train of cattle, reported fighting not far from Casas Grandes. Mr. Sharpe says:

"When we arrived in Casas Grandes we heard of agitation. A troop of 125 soldiers started out toward Galeana to intercept a band of revolutionists reported in that section. Late in the afternoon a runner came in from the scene and reported that the soldiers had engaged the enemy, who were proving too strong for them. Immediately the rest of the garrison, with one machine gun, was sent out to reinforce the soldiers. At 7 o'clock on Sunday night we received word that they were still fighting at Ponce's Pasture, on the road to Galeana. About 150 citizens arrayed themselves to protect the town of Casas Grandes in the event that it should be attacked by the revolutionists."

Official report is made at Chihuahua that another battle between seventy Government volunteers and 100 revolutionists occurred at the village of Coyome on Saturday. This report reached Gen. Hernandez, commanding the Chihuahua military zone, to-day. No details were given, but from the duration of the engagement it is presumed that the losses were considerable. Coyome is about midway between this city and Ojinaga.

From Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, opposite Eagle Pass, Tex., a report comes that three Mexican soldiers and two rebels were killed in a street fight at Ojinaga, south of there, yesterday. According to passengers arriving there this morning over the Mexican, international line, the revolutionists were gathering for a sortie when the troops charged, and both sides disappeared after a few minutes hot fighting. About a score were wounded.

With the rebel leader Paz holding the attention of Gen. Navarro in the western part of Chihuahua, foreigners look for interesting developments in the eastern part. The fight at Coyome is taken as confirmation of insurrection reports that the revolution is being carefully fostered east and northeast of Chihuahua.

It is doubtful if there are more than five hundred Federal troops in that section of the State. Ojinaga is in the same region with a prominent railroad man who met him in the mountains, said that, all told, since the revolution started, the insurgents have lost 150 men in killed and those who died from their wounds. The Federal loss was about the same, according to official admissions made in Chihuahua.

Francisco Porfirio, Mayor of Ciudad Juarez and jefe politico of the local district, has been asked to resign and Antonio Ponce de Leon, commandant of the Juarez police, will resign also as the result of the unprecedented activity of M. Cavazas, commandant of inspectors of the Juarez customs department. Cavazas was sent to Juarez a few months ago to fill the vacancy made when the predecessor was arrested in connection with a customs house scandal.

A fortnight ago Cavazas while in a saloon insisted with a drawn revolver that a number of strangers drink the health of Porfirio Diaz. The official became so violent that a number of police were required to remove him from the saloon. As a result of this Cavazas was summoned to the Civic Court and had a private arraignment before Mayor Porfirio. This brought a flood of complaints from the citizens against the Mayor and police chief, which were sent to Mexico city and submitted to President Diaz. Cavazas participated in another barroom scene to-day and to verify an argument against the city officials he displayed a communication from President Diaz in which it was promised that the jefe politico would be removed.

Telegrams asking them to resign were received to-day by these officials. ZATECAS, Mexico, Jan. 16.—Capt. Guillermo Mariscal of the Thirtieth Battalion and his troops have rounded up a number of persons charged with sedition near here and the prisoners have been taken to Mexico city. Fourteen citizens in this State committed another lot of prisoners that has just been taken to the capital.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.

She Was Carrying Lighted Oil Stove When It Exploded.

Mrs. Hannah Henshaw, who lived in apartments at 340 East 178th street, The Bronx, lit an oil stove and set it in the parlor yesterday afternoon. A few minutes later her son Norman told her that the stove was smoking badly. She ran in, picked up the stove and it exploded in her arms.

Neighbors went to Mrs. Henshaw's assistance and firemen extinguished the blaze in the apartment. Mrs. Henshaw was badly burned that she died twenty minutes after having been removed to Fordham Hospital.

Federal Judge Warrington May Not Resign.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 16. At the request of President Taft, United States Circuit Judge John W. Warrington was reconsidered his intention to resign.

DUTCH HERMAN NABBED.

Old Time Crook Caught After Doing a Job in Hoboken.

Herman Palmer, a crook known as Dutch Herman, whose operations and jail record have made him conspicuous in police circles for thirty years or more, came to grief in Hoboken yesterday after breaking into William Brandes's cafe at 228 River street, with a pal and stealing \$250 in cash from a safe. Palmer was nabbed by Brandes and Policeman Jack Rabold after a five hour hunt. The old crook's pal got away with the money.

As Rabold was going along River street at 3 A. M. he peeked into the saloon and saw a man's leg sticking from behind the free lunch counter. He tried to enter the place quietly, but the burglars heard him and escaped through a rear window from which they had sawed some iron bars. They ran into a cellar at 225 Hudson street at the rear of the saloon and Rabold followed them, firing several shots. The cop hit and held one of his bullets struck Dutch Herman's companion.

The pair made their way through the house to the roof and then crossed over to the roof of Meyer's Hotel, where they shinned down a fire escape and crawled through a window into the hotel. They took possession of room 52 and proceeded to make themselves at home. Rabold, Brandes and others who had joined in the hunt lost track of them in the meantime.

Five hours later a watchman in making the rounds of the hotel found Palmer and his pal in the room. Palmer was stretched out on a bed and the other was taking things easy in a chair. The watchman went down stairs to the office to see if they were really registered and the crooks promptly took their departure via the fire escape. Brandes had been scanning the tops of houses from his window in the hope that his visitors might show themselves and he spotted them before they reached the ground. He ran around into Hudson street and tackled them, but changed his mind about making a summary arrest when Dutch Herman's pal pointed a gun at him. The pair started to run and Brandes yelled for help. Policeman Rabold joined Brandes a few moments later and together they followed Palmer, cornering him in a saloon at Fifth and Washington streets.

Dutch Herman told the police that he was George Brown of Philadelphia and later he confessed that their identification of him was perfect. He refused to hand up his pal, saying that he got acquainted with him in prison and knew him only as Bill. He was held by Recorder McGovern without bail for examination. The burglars bored a hole in Brandes's safe and worked the combination. Tin boxes containing valuable papers were found in the cellar where Rabold did his shooting.

J. D. A NEW LAW DEGREE.

Columbia Proposes to Confer It Upon Advanced Students.

A committee of five members of the Columbia law school faculty have recommended to the university council that a new degree, doctor of jurisprudence, be conferred upon law students who study an additional year after receiving the LL.B. degree. It is contended that the present three year course leading to the bachelor's degree does not provide opportunity to broaden his legal training. There has been for some time a degree known as Master of Law on the university statute books, but its requirements have not proved attractive to any considerable number of students. The new plan is to construct a higher degree in law which shall represent the standard requirements for the professional degree and in addition certain broader studies in public law, legal history and jurisprudence. It is intended to make the new degree similar to the Ph. D. in that it will be awarded only to candidates who have published some results of an original investigation. Prof. Munroe Smith is chairman of the committee. He was assisted by Prof. F. M. Burdick, Henry S. Redfield and Franklin J. Goodnow and Dean Harlan P. Stone.

G. CONSIDINE HIMSELF AGAIN.

He Wags His Head Many Times on the New Metropole's First Night.

Floral horseshoes, low cut vests and gowns, actors and their wives and actresses, sporting men and politicians crowded New York's newest hotel, the Metropole, in Forty-third street, just off Long Acre Square, last night.

George Considine, the proprietor, who has been without a hotel since the old Metropole at Forty-second street was torn down nearly two years ago, stood in the lobby greeting his guests, signing for hundreds of telegrams and wagging his head, sometimes up and down and sometimes sideways to the many invitations to have a drink.

Oscar Hammerstein of London was one of the first to dine at the new hotel. Others were George Rector, Robert Hillard, John A. Heinemann, Mr. and Mrs. Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. Corse-Fayton and Nat Goodwin.

It is a six story hotel with a ye old tavern front. Besides its grill, restaurant and seventy rooms with baths and telephones there is a beefsteak dungeon in the basement similar to the one in the old Metropole.

Miss Helen Taft Does Ten Miles on Horse Back.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 16.—Miss Helen Taft enjoyed a ten mile horseback ride through the picturesque Green Spring Valley to-day. She came from Washington on an early train and had breakfast at the Elkridge Hunt Club as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Symington. After tea at the home of Miss Symington, she and Miss Taft returned to Washington.



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SWINDLED NEWBURGHES.
Man Who Gave His Name as Salem Earl Adams of This City Arrested.

NEWBURGH, Jan. 16.—A man giving the name of Salem Earl Adams of New York has been arrested here for defrauding people on the magazine subscription plan. His victims included among others the president of the City Council, who caused his arrest when he visited the bank and tried to cash a check given to the company he said he was representing.

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